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In Re Application of:)
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action dated December 23, 2008, together with a Request for a Two-Month Extension of Time. As the extended deadline of May 23, 2009, was a Saturday, and as the Office was closed in observance of Memorial Day on Monday, May 25, 2009, this paper is timely filed.

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